



## ***JUDICIAL PROFILE***

**Eileen S. Willett** was appointed to the bench in November 1999. Prior to her appointment she served as a Commissioner. She is currently assigned to the Criminal Department. She previously served as a Juvenile Court Judge at the Superior Court Durango facility. She received a law degree in 1984 from Rutgers School of Law and a Bachelor of Arts Degree in English from the University of Georgia in 1980. After moving to Phoenix, she practiced plaintiffs' personal injury and workers' compensation law with the firms of Ely, Bettini & Ulman and Ober & Willett. She was appointed as an administrative law judge with the Industrial Commission of Arizona in 1992. A certified specialist in worker's compensation law, Willett was serving as the chief administrative law judge when she was appointed a commissioner in April 1998.

Judge Willett is active in neighborhood, church, school and professional organizations and events. Since 1992, she has been a member of the Arizona Women Lawyers Association, serving as its 1997-1998 president. She is on the board of directors of the St. Thomas More Society and has donated time to its inner city schools' project that links lawyers and law firms to schools in need of equipment.

